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Mr. Richard Tavelli Transwestern Pipeline Company P. O. Box 1188 Houston, Texas 77001

Dear Mr. Castle:

We have no objection to the cleanup plan attached to your letter of May 1, 1986, except for the proposed cleanup levels. After reviewing the circumstances and the cleanup policy being developed by our Headquarters, we believe that cleanup to 25 ppm or less should be achieved on Transwestern property. However, we are prepared to allow some flexibility if unusual circumstances are encountered during the course of the cleanup.

We note that we will be provided with results of samples taken adjacent to the Corona facility. We are reserving judgment on cleanup levels for the adjacent area until we have more information. Please advise us of the owner and use of this property.

We also note that steps have been taken to control access to contaminated areas and minimize the potential for further migration of PCBs. However, we believe that cleanup of the contaminated areas should proceed as soon as possible. Therefore, we request submission of a complete cleanup schedule for all sites within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ William B. Hathaway

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